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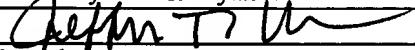
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09/808,418	03/14/2001	Andrew L. Cote SR.	1600/136	4088

TITLE OF INVENTION: SWABBABLE LUER-ACTIVATED VALVE

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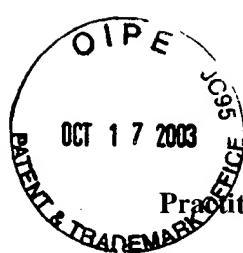
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In re application of: Andrew L. Cote, Sr., Charles F. Ganem
Application No.: 09/808,418
Filed: March 14, 2001
For: Swabbable Luer-Activated Valve

Group No.: 3763
Examiner: Jeremy Thissell

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